

Area of Interest: Visual, Fine & Performing Arts

Degree: Entertainment Industry Technology, Associate of Applied Science (AAS)

Emphasis: Stage Lighting

Stackable Certificate: Live Audio and Lighting

College Catalog: [2024-2025](#)



Program Location: Signal Peak Campus

Program Description: This hands-on, technology-focused program will prepare students for an exciting career in the music industry. Students will learn to use state-of-the-art technology in practical settings to gain knowledge and experience to compete in the industry of modern music entertainment. The Entertainment Industry Technology AAS Degree offers two emphases: Music Recording & Production, and Stage Lighting. The Stage Lighting Emphasis focuses on live venue stage lighting for concerts, theatrical performances, leveraging the latest computer-controlled lighting technologies.

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Area of Interest Website: [Visual, Fine and Performing Arts - Central Arizona College \(centralaz.edu\)](#)

Legend

Bold Course=Required Course Recommended Course (R) Stackable Certificate (SC)

AGEC Course list (Arizona General Education Curriculum) and other degree requirements.

Written Communication (WC)	Oral Communication (OC)	Arts/Humanities (AH)	Social/Behavioral Science (SB)
Lab Science (LS)	Mathematics (M)	Core Course (CC)	Elective (E)

Special Awareness Requirements for transfer degrees met through courses on the [AGEC Course list](#).

- Cultural Awareness (**CU**) Global/Historical Awareness (**GI/HI**) Intensive Writing (**IW**)

Semester 1: Fall New Students-Find your suggested starting point for [English/Reading & Math courses](#).

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
SC	CC	EIT130 Live Audio Production I	3		
SC	AH	EIT100 History of Rock n' Roll	3		
SC	CC	EIT101 Introduction to Entertainment	3		
SC	CC	EIT151 Digital Audio Workstation	3		
R	WC	ENG101 College Composition I	2		
Semester Credits:			15	Meet with your CAC advisor each semester!	

Semester 2: Spring

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
R	M	BUS101 Business Mathematics	3		
SC	CC	EIT120 Entertainment Law	3		
R	O C	COM100 Fundamentals of Human Communication or higher	3		
SC	CC	EIT140 Introduction to Lighting	3		
	CC	DMA122 Introduction to Web Design	3		
Semester Credits			15	Research career resources and opportunities!	

Semester 3: Fall

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
	CC	EIT221 Entertainment Marketing & Promotion	3		
SC	CC	EIT231 Live Audio Production II	3		
SC		EIT232 Equipment Maintenance	3		

	CC	BUS122 Small Business Management	3		
SC	CC	EIT296 Entertainment Internship	3		
		Semester Credits:	15	Apply for graduation and attend career events!	

Semester 4: Spring

		COURSE	CREDITS	SEMESTER/GRADE	NOTES
R	SB	PSY101 Introduction to Psychology	3		
	LS	Select an AGEC Biological/Physical Sciences course	4		
SC	CC	EIT203 Entertainment Capstone	2		
SC	CC	EIT241 Concert Lighting	3		
SC	CC	EIT242 Rigging	3		
		Semester Credits:	15	Finish strong-don't get distracted before finals!	
		Total Degree Credits:	60		
		Total Certificate Credits:	35		

Arizona Resident Tuition for 2024-2025 is \$75 per credit hour, see [Paying for College](#). Financial aid may be available.

Career Information

CAC Career Center: centralaz.edu/career FREE CAC career resources and assistance.

O*NET OnLine: Visit onetonline.org and search for:

Occupations in Visual, Fine & Performing Arts, including:

- Education needed for specific occupations
- Occupation tasks, knowledge, skills and abilities
- Salary/wages for specific occupations (\$)

Transfer Information

CAC University Transfer Center: centralaz.edu/transfer FREE CAC transfer resources and assistance.

Note: Use this Program MAP as a guide to choose courses with your advisor and track progress towards milestones and completion of program. Work with an advisor to customize your plan to align with your specific career and/or transfer goals.

Part-Time Students: Plans can be modified to fit the need of part-time students by adding more semesters.

Student Name:	Advisor Name:
Student ID Number: 880	Date: